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In re application of: Donovan R. Lane
Serial No. 09/828,545
Filed: April 7, 2001
For: SELF-METERING CARTRIDGE

Group No. 3763

Examiner: A.Y. Lam

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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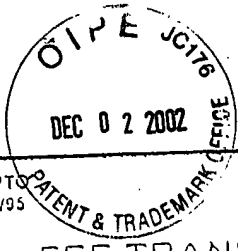
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| Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | | |
| 101 | 700 | 201 | 350 | Utility filing | |
| 106 | 300 | 206 | 150 | Design filing fee | |
| 107 | 540 | 207 | 270 | Plant filing fee | |
| 100 | 700 | 200 | 350 | Reissue filing fee | |

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| 105 | 130 | 205 | 65 | Surcharge-late filing fee or oath | |
| 139 | 130 | 139 | 130 | Non-English specification | |
| 147 | 2,390 | 147 | 2,390 | For filing a request for reexamination | |
| 112 | 970 | 112 | 470 | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | |
| 113 | 1,740 | 113 | 1,740 | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action | |
| 115 | 110 | 215 | 55 | Extension for response within first month | |
| 116 | 300 | 216 | 150 | Extension for response within second month | |
| 117 | 900 | 217 | 450 | Extension for response within third month | |
| 118 | 1,400 | 218 | 700 | Extension for response within fourth month | |
| 119 | 290 | 219 | 145 | Notice of Appeal | |
| 120 | 290 | 220 | 145 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | |
| 121 | 250 | 221 | 125 | Request for oral hearing | |
| 130 | 1,430 | 130 | 1,430 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding | |
| 140 | 110 | 240 | 55 | Petition to revive unavoidably abandoned application | |
| 141 | 1,250 | 241 | 625 | Petition to revive unintentionally abandoned application | |
| 142 | 1,200 | 242 | 640 | Utility issue fee (or reissue) | |
| 143 | 420 | 243 | 210 | Design issue fee | |
| 144 | 600 | 244 | 300 | Plant issue fee | |
| 122 | 130 | 122 | 130 | Petitions to the Commissioner | |
| 126 | 220 | 126 | 220 | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt | |
| 501 | 40 | 501 | 40 | Recording each patent assignment per property (x no. properties) | |
| ? | 220 | ? | 220 | Protest after application published | |
| ? | 1500 | ? | 1500 | Late Claim for priority during pendency | |
| 114 | 150 | 214 | 75 | Provisional Application filing | |

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